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David Waddell Executive Secretary Tennessee Regulatory Authority 460 James Robertson Parkway Nashville, TN 37243-0505

RE:

Application of KMC DATA, LLC for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Provide Facilities-Based and Resold Local Exchange and Resold Interexchange Telecommunications Services Throughout the State of Tennessee; Docket No. 01-00705

Dear David:

In response to the Authority's data request of August 15, 2001, I responded to questions 2 and 3 in a letter of August 21, 2001. In an effort to respond to the first data request (financial statements from the applicant), I have discussed this request with Darrell Whitis of the Authority's staff, and we have agreed to extend the response date to the request to September 25, 2001. This is due to the time necessary for the applicant to properly respond to the request.

Thank you for your cooperation this matter.

Sincerely,

H. Labon Baltimore / Deg

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